



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Masashi Horiuchi

Group Art Unit: 2855

Application No.: 10/661,586

Examiner: TAKISHA S MILLER

Filing Date:

September 15, 2003

for which continued examination is requested.

☐ Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least

§ 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

Confirmation No.: 8042

Title: TORQUE DETECTION DEVICE FOR WAVE GEARING

## AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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| Enc  | losed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$65.00 (2814) \$130.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Also enclosed is/are   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Small entity status is hereby claimed.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ☐ Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$395.00 (2801) ☐ \$790.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Applicant(s) previously submitted  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

enclosed.

which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R.

A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also

Attorney Docket No. 030673-167

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| X | No additional claim fee is required.                                   |
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|   | An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below. |

|   |                  | Al                                 | MEND          | ED CLAIMS     |   |          |          | ,              |
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|   | No.<br>of Claims | Highes<br>of Cla<br>Previo<br>Paid | aims<br>ously | Extra Claims  |   | Ra       | te       | Additional Fee |
| Total Claims  | 2                | MINUS                              | 20 =          | 0             | × | \$50.00  | (1202) = | \$ 0.00        |
| Independent Claims  | 1                | MINUS                              | 3 =           | 0             | x | \$200.00 | (1201) = | \$ 0.00        |
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| Total Claim Amendment Fee   |                  |                                    |               |               |   |          | \$ 0.00  |                |
| ☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee |                  |                                    |               |               |   | \$ 0.00  |          |                |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT                         |                  |                                    |               |               |   |          | \$ 0.00  |                |

| Ш | A check in the | e amount of     | is enclosed for the fee due |
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|   | Charge         | to Deposit Acc  | count No. 02-4800.          |
|   | Charge         | to credit card. | Form PTO-2038 is attached.  |

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated April 5, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: